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# **NEW TREATY WITH** BRITAIN UNDER WAY

President Taft Institutes Negotiations for General Arbitration Convention.

bassador Bryce to Washington-Pledge to Peace Society Made Good.

(From The Tribune Bureau.) Washington, Jan. 5.-That President with deeds" will become more than ever | wedding day." obvious to all, and especially to the advocates of universal peace, when they learn that the return of the British Ambassador, Mr. Bryce, has been followed immediately by the beginning of negotiations looking to a general treaty of arbitration with Great Britain, which will cover all possible points of issue.

In this course President Taft is seeking the same sort of convention as those which the Senate insisted on so amend- ter's of preliminary treaties before any question could be submitted to arbitration. The amendment so thoroughly emasculated the treaties that President Roosevelt refused to put them in effect.

Addressing the American Society for the Judicial Settlement of International pressed himself as thoroughly in favor stepped in. of the principle for which that society

If now we can negotiate and put through a positive agreement with some shall have made a long step forward by wheel. iemonstrating that it is possible for two nations, at least, to establish as between them the same system of due process of that exists between individuals under a government.

How thoroughly in earnest Mr. Taft was when he expressed this sentiment may be seen from the fact that no sooner did Mr. Bryce arrive in Washington than negotiations looking to such a treaty be-

#### Great Britain's Approval Expected.

is, of course, little reason to fear that Great Britain will interpose any serious difficulty, as in that country it is not necessary to submit treaties to any legislative body for approval. and as the Crown gladly consented to such a treaty before, will probably do

President Taft's difficulties will come when he undertakes to secure the approval of the Senate for such a treaty. That body held before that to permit the executive branch of the government to approve the protocols, or compromis, to use the more precise word of diplomatic parlance, without subjecting them to the Senate was clearly an attempt on the part of the executive branch to arrogate to itself treaty making powers not contemplated by the Constitution, and in which, under the Constitution, the Senate must share. Public sentiment has changed since that time, and there is not the inordinate fear that the present Chief Executive will encroach on the powers of the co-ordinate branches which was entertained by some at least, with regard to President Roesevelt. Incidentally, the fact that no less a lawyer than Mr. Taft has determined to stand sponsor for such a convention is a somewhat striking vindication of ex-President Rocsevelt and Secretary

### Mr. Roosevelt's Experience Recalled.

The experience of former administrations does not afford much ground for optimism regarding the fate of the convention which President Taft and Secretary Knox purpose to negotiate. Secretary Hay, with the cordial approval of President Roosevelt, negotiated sever general arbitration treaties with as many of the leading powers of Europe. They were submitted to the Senate, where the question of constitutionality was prompt ly raised. Mr. Roosevelt made every possible effort to secure their ratification in such form as would at least preclude their virtual emasculation, but without avail. Some of his most devoted friends and supporters in the Senate voted for the amendment reported by the Committee on Foreign Relations. This amendment provided that in every case where arbitration was sought under a general treaty "a special treaty defining clearly the matter in dispute, the scope of the powers of the arbitrators and the periods to be fixed for the formation of the arbitral tribunal and the several stages of the procedure" must be negotiated, and such a treaty would, of course, have to be submitted to the Senate. In effect this meant that all the usual processes of negotiation and treaty making must be employed before any important ques-

tion could be submitted to arbitration. President Roosevelt, having learned of the purpose of the Senate so to amend the treaties, sent a communication to Physician Revives Singer and Play at the chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations in which he declared that with the proposed amendment "we would have a treaty of arbitration which, in effect, will do nothing but recite that this government will, when it deems it wise, hereafter enter into treatles of arbitration," and he further made it clear that if the Senate adopted the Proposed amendment he would not undertake to complete the treaties by exchanging ratifications.

## Amended by the Sanate.

A dramatic scene occurred in the Senate when, in executive session, it considered the treaties, and Senators who Roosevelt took eccasion to explain how them of voting for the amendment de- morphine and cocaine with opium. white his enruest protest. Senator Lodge

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## WHY DIVORCES INCREASE WILSON STARTS FINISH Struggle to Keep Up Appearances the Cause, Judge Says.

Cleveland, Jan. 5.-The high cost of living is blamed for most divorces by Judge W. B. Neff, who during the term of court just ended granted 428 separations, breaking the record for Cuyahoga New Jersey Governor-clect Says

"High prices, coupled with small incomes, resulting in an intense struggle to keep up appearances and gratify so cial ambitions, are responsible for the wrecking of a large number of homes," COVERS THE GROUND FULLY said Judge Neft to-day. "What makes divorce frequent is the fact that women low find it easy to be financially inde- Declares James Smith Belongs to Work Begun on Return of Am. pendent of their husbands. Perhaps if we adopted the prudential marriage system of Europe we should be better off.

"Courtship in America is often a mere social masquerade. Lovers never see each other except when at their best, and consequently the young woman marries a here and the young man an angel, Taft is one "who makes good his words only to be distillusioned shortly after the

#### BRIDAL COUPLE KIDNAPPED Disguised as Chauffeur, Friend Takes Them on Joy Ride.

Stamford, Conn., Jan. 5.—Disguised as a chauffeur, John H. Tyson this after- Martine, who received the highest vote regotiated in the last administration, but Boice Daniell, of New York, and the lating as to make necessary the ratification Adelia Oatwell, of Riverside, Conn. Daniell is a son of John Daniell, a New | continued, "I would rather be a knave had just been married at the house of a compromise." And turning to Mr Tyson's aunt, Mrs. William Alexander Martine, who sat on the platform, he Hamilton

Tyson's big car was drawn up in front Disputes last month, President Taft ex- the car when the bride and bridegroom

stands, and said in the course of his re- Daniell said: "We don't care how you bered." go, but get us to New York, please.

"Not yet awhlie," was the laughing reply, and Tyson's identity was revealed votes of some of the Republican legisgreat nation to abide the adjudication when he took off goggles and cap. He laters if he needed them, but he refused of an international arbitration court in | took the couple for a long ride and then | to believe it. He did not believe that which cannot be settled by returned to the Hamilton house, Mr. any Republican legislator could be got no matter what it involves, and Mrs. Daniell finally got away toward to vote for Mr. Smith, although, he said, whether honor, territory or money, we New York with Tyson's chauffeur at the the Republican machine leaders thought

## BRAVE TEACHERS KILLED

## Remained in Burning Building Granby, Quebec, Jan. 5.-Brothers Smith took part.

Daniel and Louciere, superior and assistant superior of St. Joseph's College, lost their lives in the fire which destroyed the college building late last night. Both remained in the burning building awakening students and teachers and assisting them to escape, and their devotion to duty caused their deaths.

Brother Daniel, finding escape cut off, jumped from a window and received in- ing to order, and Assemblyman Joseph juries which resulted in his death to-day, while Brother Louciere perished in the building. His body is still in the ruins.

Thirty-three students and twenty-nine Brothers were in the building, but all utes before he was allowed to speak. escaped in scanty night attire, save the superior and his assistant.

# ANOTHER TAMMANY FIRE

14th Street Wigwam. Following the serious fire of last month, another blaze which threatened the Tammany Hall Wigwam, in East 14th street, was discovered early last night in the auditorium of the building. It is supposed that workmen employed in repairing the building, ignited a pile of shavings by accident before leaving their work at 6 o'clock.

Shortly after 8 o'clock a dense smoke was seen pouring from the windows by Patrolman Ticho. After turning in an alarm he rushed into the building and, with Magistrate Joseph Moss, who was there at the time, fought the flames until the arrival of the firemen.

The police and firemen took care to first learned of the fire when firemen t from the rear. The damage was about

#### DREAM MYSTERY SOLVED Tufts Psychologist Says They Are Photographs of Events.

Amato so that he was able to continue the

The intermission between the two acts was considerably lengthened because of the incident.

#### OPIUM TRAFFIC CONGRESS. London, Jan. 5,-The International Con-

gress for the Suppression of the Oplum had always been most loyal to President Traffic will assemble at The Hague May 30. It is stated that the United States will painful was the duty which confronted support the British proposal to include to

GREAT BEAR SPRING WATER.

# FIGHT FOR MARTINE

He Won't Compromise in Senate Contest.

SPEAKS IN JERSEY TITY

No Party, but Is Dominated by Special Interests in Both of Them.

Saying that former United States Sentor James Smith, jr., did not represent a party, but that he represented a system which depended for its success or the support of the machines of both political parties. Governor-elect Woodrow Wilson, in Jersey City last night, made his first public address to the people of he state in the campaign he is waging to prevent the selection of Mr. Smith as the next United States Senator from Mr. Wilson insisted that James E

kidnapped his friend, Griswoid at the recent primaries, be chosen. He bride, who was Miss Josephine candidate, because, he said, no one but a coward would compromise, "and," he York merchant. He and Miss Oatwell than a coward. God defend us against appealed to him never in any circumstances to withdraw. "The selection of of the house, and he was at the wheel of the man who received the vote of the people at the primaries is the right way," he sa'd, "and any man who turns away After they had gone a mile or so will be marked, labelled and remem

He said it was common talk in South Jersey that Mr. Smith could have the otherwise. In proof of what he believed to be the machine Republican support of Smith, he said that a conference was held in Philadelphia this week, in which David Baird, the Republican boss of South Jersey; Louis Kuehnle, the Re-Waking Students at Night Fire. publican boss of Atlantic City, and Mr

#### Doesn't Reply to Smith.

Mr. Wilson did not answer the recent statement of Mr. Smith, as was anticipated, but confined himself to giving the easons why he opposed the selection of Mr. Smith and why he favored Mr. Mar-

Judge Mark J. Sullivan called the meet-P. Tumulty was the chairman. He introduced Mr. Wilson a few minutes after he entered the hall, and the Governor-elect was cheered for several min-

I have heard a great deal said in r cent weeks about a split in the Democratic party," said Mr. Wilson. "There circumstance which is now being brought to the attention of some poli-Magistrate Helps Fight Flames at ticians is that there is a united Democatic party whose service they must obey. It is not, let me say, a capital process to cut off a wart. You do not have to go to a hospital or take an angesthetic: the thing can be done while you wait, and it is being done; the clinic is open and every man can witness the operation.

"Does the Democratic party consist of little group of gentlemen in Essex county? The Democratic party does not consist in any portion of any organization; it consists of the men who vote the Democratic ticket."

## No Personal Animosities.

Taking up Mr. Smith's candidacy for the Senate and his connection with the 'system." the Governor-elect said he did prevent a panic among the audience of not entertain personal animosities on the Olympic Theatre next door. The that question. "It is a question of the members of the company playing there records of some persons because the records show the tendency," he said. "How quietly entered the stage wings to fight do I know which way a man is heading what his connections have been, what his determinations have been, unless I ook up his record?"

Hisses greeted the mention of Smith's ame as he continued:

Are Photographs of Events.

And I want to point out to you that Mr. Whereupon "Trade Joe" programs are fine to the program of political control which have actually taken place in life, and alternative of medicine at Turts Collision.

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Mr. Wilson, in talking of the possibility of a compromise, said:

I have heard a great many men hope for compromise. God derend us against compromise. Every man who is afraid to stand to his gun wants compromise. Every man who finds a duty difficult to perform wants the form of the duty changed; but change it for him and you simply confirm his weakness. I appeal to Mr. Martine never under any circumstances to withdraw.

draw.

We are not in this fight to find the easy way, the complacent way. We are in it to find and pursue the right way, and any man who turns away from the right way will be marked and labelled.

Mr. Martine and Senators Silzer and Osborne also spoke briefly.

MEN WHO ARE FIGHTING FOR COMPETITIVE SUBWAYS. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST. Controller of the City. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL.



WILLIAM G. M'ADOO. Who is preparing a new subway offer

#### SOLDIERS FREE PRISONERS Carried Saws for Jail Break, Largest Institution in Territory Says Recaptured Man.

Atlanta, Jan. 5. - Three soldiers stationed at Fort McPherson who visited the Fulton County jail last Sunday left the saws with which John Withrow, convicted wife murderer, and four companions sawed their way out on Monday night, according to Withrow. The Vice-President Jackson to realize on saws, he said to-day, were given to Harry Langdon, one of the jail breakers ber Company. Several depositors, with

who was recaptured. under the alias of Glenn Allen, deserted s no split in the Democratic party. The who served in his old company are now of them. The suspended bank is exstationed at Fort McPherson. They learned of Langdon's presence in the jail and sought permission to inspect the jail on Funday, when they left the saws.

## CANNON SMOKES A PIPE Appears in House with Corncob

Gift from Champ Clark.

[From The Tribune Bureau.] Washington, Jan. 5.-Speaker Cannon xcited a good deal of good natured comment among his colleagues to-day by strolling through the lobbies and appearing on the floor after adjournment with a corncob pipe, or a "Missouri Meerschaum," as it is sometimes called, between his teeth. He is rarely seen without a cigar, but this was the first

time any of his colleagues ever saw him smoking a pipe. "Champ Clark gave this to me," said the Speaker. "It was made in his home his friends. This doesn't seem strange, about \$5,000 in cash and jewelry. The unless I look up his record? How do I however. I smoked nothing else than a clerk and porter were forced into the know who are his friends, his associates, pipe up to the time I was thirty years basement at the point of revolvers. at the old swimming hole in my town. Angelus Theatre, adjoining the hotel. Whitman's office. Robin was brought That blackened clay was as sweet as All had been broken open.

# Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 5.—Aliens not eligi-

ble to citizenship are prohibited from owning or leasing land in California, by terms of a bill introduced in the Legislature to-A similar bill was offered two years ago

of the Asiatic Exclusion League is claimed settled in Philadelphia, but this offer seen them since he was six years old. hundred thousand or more acres of Callfornia land now held by Japanese or Chi-

SEABOARD FLORIDA LIMITED. nese must eventually revert to the state unless citizenship is conferred upon these people, and no more land may be obtained

# ALASKA BANK SUSPENDS

Goes Into a Receiver's Hands. Fairbanks, Alaska, Jan. 5.—The Washington-Alaska Bank, which has \$1,000,-000 on deposit, suspended payment last night, and F. W. Hawkins was appointed receiver by the federal court to-day. The cause assigned was the failure of

money invested in the Gold Bar Lumclaims of \$11,000, attached the bank's property, and this led to the suspension. The town is orderly. All other banks from the army, and a number of men are sound, and there was no run on any

> pected to pay 50 cents on the dollar. Seattle, Jan. 5.-The Washington-Alaska Bank was the largest bank in Alaska, and handled practically all the Tanana gold product, buying the dust from the miners and shipping it to the

Seattle Assay Office. The suspended bank was owned altogether by northern miners. E. L. Barnette, of Seattle, one of the most prominent Tanana gold operators, was presi-

The gold product of the Tanana district has fallen off in the last two seasons because of the exhaustion of the richest placers. Dredging and lode mining has only begun.

# HOLD UP HOTEL CLERK

#### Bandits Overlook Diamonds and Thousands in Cash.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 5.—Two masked They will probably be called to testify town, I believe, and he recently got a bandits entered the office of the Angelus later on, when the investigation of this big crate of them for distribution among Hotel to-day and robbed the safe of new angle of the case is continued. old, although since then I've stuck to Thirteen safety deposit boxes were ex- at the Criminal Courts Building with the cigars. But no pipe will ever taste so tracted and carried away. They were good as the dudeen I used to smoke down found later in the basement of the taken to a small room adjoining Mr.

About twenty-five boxes, containing supposedly that his examination by Drs.

him here from India.

When he arrived here with his little Hindoo charge on the Cedric the immigration officials detained the boy. Mr. were still in Russia and political exiles. Stokes offered to put up a bond that he He thought they were in Siberia, he said, would take the little fellow back to In- but wasn't sure what part of the counand attracted wide attention. The support dia as soon as his father's estate was try they were in. He said he had not was refused. It is expected that the He hardly glanced at the old woman Under the porvisions of the bill the two Washington verdict will be different.

One night out to Palm Beach, Tampa and Shook his head.
Orlande. Lvs. N. Y. 11:16 A. M. commencing Jan. 9. The most complete all Pullman electric lighted train to Florida. Inq. P. R. R. or Sexboard Office, 1183 Broadway.—Advt.

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#### By a vote of ten to six the Board of Estimate and Apportionment refused yesterday to adopt the majority report of its transit committee, which was in opposition to approving the plan of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company

haps in Siberia.

Joseph G. Robin, who is under indict-

ment for the larceny of \$80,000 from the

Washington Savings Bank, and his sis-

ter, Dr. Louise G. Robinovitch, were

brought face to face yesterday in the

District Attorney's office with the aged

Williamsburg couple who have claimed

the indicted man and his sister as their

Robin and his sister flatly denied the

relationship, despite the old couple's

Robin and his sister did not know be-

orehand that they were to meet their

self-styled parents. They were suddenly

witch in her affidavit to the Supreme

Russia and that she was the only heir

and next of kin of her brother. The de-

termination of this question will have

an important bearing on the issue of in-

sanity which has been injected into the

The old couple had previously declined

to come to the District Attorney's office

unless Robin sent them a note saying he

wanted them to do so. Robin refused to

Rabinowitch and his wife were not

taken before the grand jury yesterday.

Robin Balks at Interview.

Detectives Fogarty and Boyle arrived

old couple about 2 o'clock. They were

over from the Tombs soon afterward.

In answer to the District Attorney's

questions Robin said that she was not

his mother and insisted that his parents

while he was being examined, and when

he did he wore a cynical smile and

At that point Rabinowitch was

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do that, so the subpænas were used.

children.

tearful assertions.

Whitman's office.

Robin case.

for the Rabinovitches, and

pendent subway with city money and in opposition to lending the credit of the city to any existing corporation for the extension of its lines. By a unanimous vote the board then referred to the committee of the whole the communication of the Public Service Commission embodying the offer of the

FIRST BLOOD FOR

INTERBORO PLAN

But Prendergast and Mitchel,

Facing Adverse Estimate Board

Vote, Will Fight On.

NEW M'ADOO PLAN COMING

Contingent on Declaration for

Independent Subways-Some

Members May Yet Vote

Against Monopoly.

for the extension of subways. The vote

on the report came on the consideration

of resolutions embodied in it, which

would have placed the board on record

as favoring the building of an inde-

Interborough, "with all reports relatings thereto," which will include the majority report of the transit committee. Controller Prendergast and John Purroy Mitchel, President of the Board of Aldermen, whose six votes were the only ones in favor of the adoption of

their majority report, say they will continue their fight for an independent subway. They expect to take the stump and speak at a number of meetings that are being arranged by civic bodies. One will be at Cooper Thion next Thursday and another will be in The Bronx some night next week. "The battle for an independent sub-

way system has only begun," said Mr. Prendergast last night. "If the Interporough interests regard the vote in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to-day as an indication of favorable action on the proposition they submitted on December 5, 1910, they are making great mistake.

"A member of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, who casts two votes, assured me within an hour after the meeting that under no circumstances would he vote for that proposition. Mr. Mitchel and I will keep up the fight in the board and outside."

### McAdoo Preparing New Offer.

It is understood that President Mcbrought before them i. turn as Herman Aneny of Manhattan is the member of Rabinovitch and his wife, both of whom the board referred to by the Controller.

are seventy-five years old, waited in Mr. It was learned yesterday that William G. McAdoo was working on a subway Grand jury subpoenas had been issued proposition more attractive than any yet submitted to the Publ on them by detectives from the District mission. The head of the Hudson & Manhattan Rallroad Company refused to Attorney's office yesterday afternoon at their home, at No. 361 Bushwick avenue, give details of the offer. His new prop-Williamsburg. They were estensibly osition will be presented only if the city wanted as witnesses to identify Robin decides squarely for an independent sysand his sister, and thereby controvert tem instead of extensions to the Inter-

certain statements made by Dr. Robinoborough monopoly. The meetings of the committee of the Court in asking for the appointment of whole are to be in executive session, ala commission for her brother's person though Controller Prendargast and and property. Dr. Robinowitch set forth President Mitchel both wanted them therein that her parents were still in

public. From remarks made by various members of the board last night it seemed that there was some difference of opinion as to just what confronted the committee of the whole under the resolution of reference. At least one member is of the opinion that the rejection of the transit committee's report answers the question of the Public Service Commission as to whether or not the board has any objection to the Interborough proposition, and that therefore the only thing left to do is to take up the negotiations with the Interborough on the exact details of its offer and to prepare the form

of contract. Others, however, are of the opinion that the question of a monopoly as opposed to an independent system is still to be thrashed out by the committee. Some of those who voted against the transit committee's report yesterday did so because they wished the opportunity of discussing the entire matter in execu-

#### tive session, it is understood. To Confer with P. S. Commission.

After the meeting President McAneny said his action could not be construed as meaning that he had finally decided in favor of the Interborough proposition as submitted. President Miller said: "My mind is still open, but I was not prepared to vote on such an important matter on such short notice,"

to study the report," President Cromwell said. "I do not think that the Controller and President Mitchel should have sprung it on us so suddenly. They cannot get together overnight and hand me orders in the morning."

"My mind is open, but I want a chance

The exact language of the resolution of President McAneny referring the matter is as follows:

Resolved. That the communication of the Public Service Commission addressed to this board under date of December 20, 1910, with relation to the general proposition of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, together with all reports or other papers relating thereto, be referred for consideration to the board as a committee of the whole; and be it further Resolved, That, before taking further action, the board invite the Public Service Commission into conference upon the said proposition, or any proposed modification thereof, or upon any other alternative proposition that the commission may have to present or that may be presented to it. Resolved. That the communication of the

As members of the committee of the whole each member of the board will have only one vote, whereas, the Mayor, the Controller and the President of the Board of Aldermen have three each, President McAneny and President Steers two each, and Presidents Gresser, Miller and Cromwell one each, as members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The question of number of votes will not be of great importance, however, as any action of the committee of the whole must be ratified by the board.

There was a roomful of citizens when President Mitchel began the reading of